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FOR (TITLE): NOVEL MATERIAL SEPARATED FORM ECKLONIA CAVA, METHOD FOR

EXTRACTING AND PURIFYING THE SAME, AND USE THEREOF AS

ANTIOXIDANTS

VERIFIED STATEMENT AS SMALL ENTITY

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The undersigned declare(s):

Exclusive rights in the above-identified invention reside in the "small entity" defined and named below, and "small entity" fees are appropriate. Qualification as a small entity is based upon the following:

INDEPENDENT INVENTOR

An independent inventor is any inventor who:

- has not assigned, granted, conveyed, or licensed, and 1)
- is under no obligation under contract or law to assign, grant, convey, or license any rights in the invention to any person who could not likewise be classified as an independent inventor if that person had made the invention, or to any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern or a non-profit organization as defined in Rule 1.9.

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A small business concern is defined as a business concern:

- whose number of employees, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons, and
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2) a organization of the type described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (26 U.S.C. 501(c)(3)) and exempt from taxation under Section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (26 U.S.C. 501(a)); or
3) any nonprofit scientific or educational organization qualified under a nonprofit organization statute of a state of the United States (35 U.S.C. 201(i)); or
4) any nonprofit organization located in a foreign country which would qualify as a nonprofit organization under paragraphs (e)(2) or (3) of Rule 1.9 if it were located in the United States.
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